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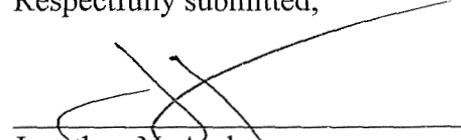
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Notice of)	Case No. 2005-00519
Intent to Disconnect SouthEast Telephone, Inc. for)	
Non-Payment)	
)	
SouthEast Telephone, Inc.)	
Complainant,)	
v.)	Case No. 2005-00 ⁵³³ 519
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.)	
Defendant.)	

SOUTHEAST TELEPHONE OPPOSITION TO BELLSOUTH MOTION

SouthEast Telephone, Inc. ("SouthEast") opposes BellSouth's Motion to Shorten the Time for Briefing. Apart from interposing an argument regarding the merits of the case, BellSouth has provided absolutely no justification for changing the schedule duly established by the Commission.

SouthEast will not dignify BellSouth's motion by responding in kind to BellSouth's *ad hominem* attack on SouthEast's counsel, BellSouth's outrageous mischaracterization of his conversation with Ms. Chambers, or BellSouth's baseless slur on SouthEast's motives. Suffice it to say that the Commission should not reward BellSouth's "dirty pool" tactics by modifying the procedural schedule in this case.

Respectfully submitted,



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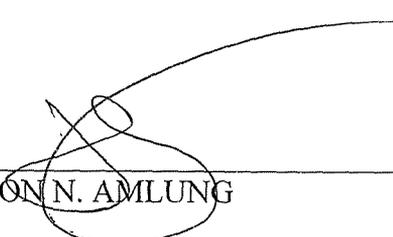
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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was mailed, this the
21st day of December, 2005 to:

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